POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE.

The American general committee have nominated John Livingston, of Albany, for Congress, in place of Jones, ear, withdrawn.

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The Boston Fost has the fellowing synopsis of Mr. Buringame's speech, at a late political meeting in Boston; "Following Dr./Phelps came Burlingame. After a careful study of this gentleman's speech, we are enabled to make the following analysis; the power and force of the argument will be obvious to every one: **Exercision—Hoursh f it's all right! **Argument—1st premises—Fellow-citizens, you are a great people; 2d premises—I am a great man! **Conclanion—You must elect me. **Peroxion—H!! yah!**

The newspapers from Illinois assert that Mr. Le Roy has not declined to be a candidate for Congress in the third district of Illinois.

third district of Illinois.

The St. Paul Pioneer of the 23d Instant says that definite returns from every part of Minnesota, except a single district, show that the political complexion of the
next legislature will be as follows: Senate—21 democraft and 15 republicans; house—39 democrats and 40
craft learns.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

James Gordon Bennett has rented the house of Col. Roberts, on the heights of Georgetown, and will reside there during the winter.

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On the morning of the 29th ultime, her serene highness Princess Catherine Hohenzollern Sigmaringen, born Princess of Hohenbohe, took the veil at Rome, in the ancient numery of St. Ambrose, belonging to the Franciscan Sisters, an order distinguished for poverty and strictness of discipline. The Pope's vicar, Cardinal Patrisi, and Cardinal Reisach, performed the ceremony, which was attended by many Germans of rank, amongst whom was the Princess's cousin, Monsignor Hohenlohe, the Pope's abmoner.

Pope's almonor.

Among the passengers to the United States on the last steamer from Galway, was Lord Bury, who, it is said, goes to Canada to arrange a federation of the provinces, and is also charged with the duty of arranging mail service on the Galway steam-ship line.

Among the arrivals at Brown's Hotel, yesferday, were Gov. Brown and Judge Douglass of Florida, Hon. James Craig of Missouri, and Miss Juliana May of this city. Hon. A. Rust of Arkansas, Hon. Henry Winter Davis of Maryland, and Gen. Paez of Venezuela, are at the

THE ARMY AND NAVY.

Commodore Breese has been ordered to the command of the Brooklyn navy-yard, vice Commodore Kearny. We understand that the latter will be ordered to duty as president of she Light-House Board, in the place of Commodore Shubrick. It was at first contemplated by the Secretary of the Navy not to appoint a successor to Commodore Shubrick, but to reinstate that officer on his return from the command of the Brazil squadron, but certain considerations have operated to change this plan.

GLEANED FROM THE MAILS.

It is stated that thirty or more colored families, resid-ing in Boston, Massachusetts, and its vicinity, have or-ganized themselves, under the title of the "Cambridge Liberian Emigrant Association," for the purpose of emi-grating to Liberia. Some of the party expect to sail in the colonization ship Mary Caroline Stevens, which will leave Baltimore, Maryland, about the 1st November for Uberia.

The city of Richmond has determined to adopt the paid fire-department system, and an ordinance has been passed by the councils to carry the object into effect.

The Minister of Agriculture, Commerce, and Public Works of France has addressed letters to the French consuls in England, with a request that they will lay them before the agricultural societies of that country to communicate with the French government their opinion as to the effects of free trade in corn upon the landed and gricultural interests. A schedule of questions, em-oracing every phase of the free trade question, has been ent with the letter. The inquiries submitted would imsent with the letter. The inquiries submitted would im-ply that the Emperor is not altogether satisfied with the restrictive policy, and wishes to learn the operation of free trade, so that he may incorporate it in the policy of France, or at least suck modifications of it as he shall doem advisable.

Corn is selling at fifteen cents per bushel in Sidney,

Mr. John T. Elliot, broker, and sever others, on the charge of conspiring to blow up a house and family with gunpowder. Various rumors were alloat concerning the affair, and it became the more exciting as the complainant is the father-in-law of Mr. Elliot, being no less a personage than Esquire Sedam.

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Mr. Morphy is to have another opponent worthy of his powers. Herr Anderssen, the well-known victor in the tournament of 1851, is on his way to Paris, to contend against the young champion. Until his arrival Mr. M. is having his daily jousts at the Cafe de la Regence against all comers. In a letter to Mr. Staunton, renewing his challenge, Mr. Morphy saya: "I am not a professional player, that I never wished to make any skill I possess the means of pecuniary advancement, and that my earnest desire is never to play for any stake but honor. My friends in New Orlaens, however, subscribed a certain sum, without any countenance from me, and that sum has been ready for you to meet a considerable time past."

Gov. Buckingham, of Connecticut, has set apart the 25th day of November next to be observed as a day of thanksgiving in that State. The Governor of Penmylvania has designated the 18th inst. for thanksgiving in

Nathaniel and Thomas Butler, brothers, and Peter Lyons, lost their lives on Tuesday by suffocation in the vaults of the resin oil distillery at Pine Island, Roxbury,

Tha Catholic church on Cabot street, Roxbury, Mass. with a dwelling-house and stable adjoining, have been destroyed by fire. The church was built of wood, and, with the organ, valued at \$12,000.

An Artesian well lately opened at Bourne, England, sends water 25 feet above the surface, and discharges 360 gallous per minute, or 21,600 in one hour. It feeds three mills, and is said to be the greatest well of the kind in the world, excepting the celebrated one in Paris. The one we noticed on the 20th of the month as made at Louisville sends an inch stream sixty feet high, gives 225 gallous a minute, or 324 000 callons are day. 225 gallons a minute, or 324,000 gallons per day.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

OFFICIAL.

Washington, October 23, 1858.

This department having reason to suppose that some irresponsible persons in England, and others there writing under feigned names, have induced parties in this country to forward remittances thither for the recovery of catalog to which they are led to believe they are titled, persons to whom such representations may be add tre cartioned to be satisfied as to the identity and character

MARRIED.

in this city, on the 28th instant, by Rev. Dr. Nadat, Mr. BISHOP COULER, of Baltimore, to Miss SARAH ELLEN BABB, of Hangor, Mc.

DIED,

n this city, on Wednesday last, at a quarter to one o'clock, p. m., s. EDWARD #IMMS, the devoted wife of one of our most estimable zons—a plous Christian and a kind mother. May her soul rest in oc!

The funeral will take place this morning, at ten o'clock, a. m., from the residence of the family, on C street, near 435 street, where the relations and friends are respectfully tuyited to attend. High mass will be offered in St. Patrick Church.

LECTURE. - The third lecture in the series bethe Catholic Beneficial Total Abstimuse Association of the District blumbla will be delivered by Joseph S. Wilson, esq., at the Phin-nonic Hall, corner 11th street and Pennaylyania avenue, on Sun-Evening, the 51st met., at 7½ o'cbek. The public is respectfully del. Subject—"The developments and effects of moral causes the social condition."

H. C. McLAUGHLIN.

James J. Kant, Secretary. Chairman of Com. on Lectures. Oct 27-5t BUTTER, BUCKWHEAT, &c .-

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CITY INTELLIGENCE.

THE ITALIAN OPERA.

Last night the performance of "II Trovatore" was witnessed by a larger audience than was ever before collected within the walls of this theatre, comprising the beauty and fashion of Washington. We noticed numbers of musical professors and amateurs also, and we be lieve that all, without exception, awarded to the performance the credit of being unsurpassed by any that has ever been witnessed in this city. "II Trovatore" is one of the best of Verdi's compositions, abounding in musical gomes, and with Mesdames Parodi and Strakosch as principal soprano and contratio, and Signors Brignoil and Amodio as the tenor and barytone, the conceptions of the author could not but be faithfully rendered. The chorus is large and effective, and the instrumentation of the orchestra was certainly very fine. In the first act Madame Parodi song the aria "Tacca la notte placida" in exquisite taste, and was warmly applauded. The awil chorus, at the opening of the second act, was much admired; the second scone of this act, being short and not essential to the commexion of the story, was omitted. Next came that beautiful aria by Amodio, "II belief the low sorriso," which was given in a truly artistic manner. We will not attempt to point out all the various passages which drew down the rapturous applause of the audience, for the whole performance was a succession of triumphs; and it were difficult to tell whether the acting or the airing of deserved the greatest commendation. The passage at the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico declares that the close of the third act where Maurico de deserved the greatest commendation. The passage at the close of the third act where Maurico declares that he will rescue his mother or perish in the attempt was so much land James E Maxwell, New York James Tames and James E Maxwell, do John Moore & lady, Lynchburg, admired that Signor Brignoil was twice called before the discrete in the fourth act, and the aria by J Carter, Po curtain. The Miserere in the fourth act, and the aria sung by Asucena while dreaming, forming an accompaniment to the duet between Leonora and Manrice, were especially spoken of as descrying of the highest praise. From this sketch it will be seen that the musical entertainment furnished our citizens last evening was one of no ordinary character, and as the engagement of the

no ordinary character, and as the engagement of this troupe is limited to three nights, we advise all our readers who love music to improve the present opportunity.

To-night Madam Colson will appear in the great rôle of Violetta, in Verdi's popular Opera, "La Traviata," or the lost one, and will be supported by the following distinguished artists: Signora Elena appears as Flora Bervoix, the friend of Violetta; Signora Sapucci takes the character of Annina, the confidante of Violetta; Signor Brignolii (tenor) takes the character of Alfred Germont, the lover of Violetta, and Signor Amodio (barytone) that of Girogio Germont, father of Alfred. The story is briefly this: Violetta Valery, a fashionable grisette, upon becoming acquainted with Alfred, falls in love with him, and her passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and plettges with the passion is reciprocated. She rotires from the gay scenes in which she has heretofore mingled, and p herself to be true to her lover. Alfred's father, however, seeks her in her country house, and implores her to sac-rifice her love for Alfred, and renounce him entirely; and he urges her so perseveringly that she at length consents. In order to carry out this determination, she attends the fête in Flora's palace in company with the Baron Douphol, which arouses Alfred's jealousy, and he easts her off, in a violent rage throwing her portrait at her feet, when she faints in the arms of her friends. The third act opens with Violetta sleeping on the bed; she is suffering from sickness, caused by the sacrifice she has made. At length, Alfred discovers that she still loves him, and asks pardon for his rashness, and his father gives his consent to their union; but it is then too late. Violetta is beyond the physician's skill, and in the joy of a reconciliation with her lover, falls back and expires, when the curtain falls. This opera is founded upon the celebrated tragedy of "Camille," in which Rachel achieved such histrionic triumphs.

THE BOTANIC GARDENS, at the foot of the Capitol grounds, are now in fine condition. Mr. Smith, the superintendent there, who is a most skilful and intelligent gentleman, with a perfect knowledge of his profession, never relaxes his labors to effect valuable improvements and obtain new specimens of plants for the adornment of the grounds. His hot-houses always present to the eye the most admirable arrangement and perfect order; and now that the plants have been placed in winter quarters and properly labelled, a visit to them is doubly interesting to the admirer of Nature in her loveliest form. Very recently, Mr. Smith has added largely to the extensive variety of specimens here, of rare and beautiful plants, which he has procured in some of the most extensive con-servatories in the northern cities, and he is constantly making arrangements to obtain, at the earliest notice, any new and interesting rarity which may be announced Among his late accessions, we notice an unusually fine specimen of the ancient paper plant, or Egyptian papyrus. He has now in flower an exceedingly handsome specimen of the pampas grass of South America, which attracts great attention and admiration from all visitors. Those who have a leisure hour cannot do better than to devote it to a stroll through the gardens.

An Adventising Sheer. -We have recently seen a handsomely-printed card—gotten up by Messrs. Goggin and Waite, practical printers, and printed on McGill's steam press—containing about a hundred advertisements, most of which are ornamented with wood cuts appropriate to the various branches of business designated. This card is printed in colors, and reflects much credit on the taste and skill of its projectors and publishers. It is styled Merchant's Business Directory ;" and copies are to be framed and placed in the principal hotels, on steamboats, and in other places where they will attract attention, and thus impart information as to the locale and business of our enterprising citizens. Several who have seen this card have expressed their disappointment at not being included in its columns, and we are informed that Messrs. G. and W. propose to issue another sheet for the benefit of their customers. Those who may wish to adopt this method of advertising their wares may leave word at McGill's printing office, and they will be waited on. 'The "Union' still continues to insert advertise ments on reasonable terms.

Collision in a Fog.-We learn from the Alexandria Gazette that the steamer Mount Vernon, on her trip on Wednesday down the river to Acquia Creek, when between Jones' Point and Fort Washington, in a very der fog, ran into a long boat loaded with firewood, almost cutting her in two, and sinking her as deep as the cargo would permit. The mate and a few of the hands of the steamer were let down in a boat, took the crew off the long boat and towed the vessel ashore, where they left her, and went to Washington, to procure another boat to take the wood off. The mate of the steamer states that the fog at the time of the collision was so dense that the pilot could see no further than the bow of the boat from the pilot house! He heard a noise ahead, and reversed the engine, but the steamer could not be stopped in time to prevent the collision.

CIRCUIT COURT .- A petition was filed yesterday by Henry Rackaway for the removal of Richard H. Trunnell from the office of county constable, for alleged malfe ance of office in collecting the amount of a judgment and refusing to pay over to the plaintiff. Rule was laid upon Trunnell by the court, to show cause why he should not be removed from his office, and the time for a hearing was fixed for Saturday next. F. W. Jones for petitioner, and Robert Ould for respondent.

The hearing of appeal cases occupied the remainder of the day.

AN Eprron Rosnep,-The Richmond Dispatch states that W. D. Wallach, esq., editor of the Washington Star, was robbed of \$90 while on his way to Richmond a few nights since, to attend the United States Agricultural Fair, now in progress at that place. If this statement be true, we sympathize with our neighbor; but it is almost incredible that an editor should have so much money.

CRINA AND AUSTRALIA .-- A visit to these distant lands may be taken (in imagination) by calling at Odd Fellows' Hall and witnessing the splendid work of art now on exhibition there. We hope our readers will not do them selves the injustice to fail to visit this Panorama.

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Oct 21

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County of Washington, To wit. County of Washington, J.

I HEREBY certify that Thomas Jenkins, (of Thomas, of the county aforesaid, personally appeared before me, a justice of the peace in and for the said county, this 21st day of October, in the year 1958, and made eath according to law that there is a small red horned cow, about five years old, trespassing on his enclosure, marked as foliows: a white star in her forehead, white strips across her shoulders, three white legs, and about hair of her tail white.

H. G. MURRAY, J. P.

The owner of said cow is requested to prove property, pay charges od take her away. Oct 22—law3w THOMAS JENKINS, (of Thomas.)

Collector's Office, Crry Hall, October 18, 1858.

TO Tax-Payers.—The law allows an abatement of five per cent, to be made on the annual taxes for 1858 which may be paid at this office on or before the first day of Nevember next, after which day all abatement ceases.

Oct 19-dtNov1 JAS. F. HALIDAY,

TIO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.-Notice is ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—Notice is hereby given that licensee issued to tayerns, retailers of spir-s and fermented liquors, wines, cordinate, &c. greecels, stry goods, ware, medicines, perfumery, watches, and jewelry; lumber, coal, and commission merchanic; also, to keepers of harkney spee and omnibuses, billiard tables, ten-pin alleys, and confecty, and for hawking and peddling, and dealers in old iron, brass er, &c., will expire on Monday, the ist day of November next, that said licenses must be renewed at this office within ten days will law MORGAN.

STEAM MACHINERY FOR SCREW PRO-PELLER SLOOP-OF-WAR AT THE UNI-TED STATES NAVY-YARD GOSPORT, VIRGINIA.

Navy Department, October 27, 185

CIEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposal SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposal for Secon Machinery for Series Propeler Stoop of War," will be received at this department until 5 of check; p. m., of the 26th of November next for the complete construction of the steam machinery and appendixes, either direct acting or gard engines, as the bidder way consider preferable, and placing the same on board the screw doop of war building at the United States navy yard at tiosport, Virginia, in accordance with the following conditions:

The offers must be for a specific sum for putting the whole in successful operation; must include all patent fore, and the department will require a reissee from the proprietors of any patented article or arrangements used in or about the machinery, and must be accompanied by the usual guarantee required by law.

The name of the establishment in which the werk is to be executed must be stated. The details of the design and arrangement of the machinery will be left with the party whose proposition may be accepted as combining the greatest munber of advantages, keeping in view cost, simplicity of construction, readiness of access for adjustment when in operation, and not being subject to derangement in the working parts; it being the object of the department to procure machinery which can develop great power when required so as to their chart of the substitute of the particle of the department in the working parts; it being the object of the department in the working parts; it being the object of the department to procure machinery which can develop great power when required so as to their only with be able to propel the vessel at a moderate speed with great economy of fuel, so that long voyages may be performed with one supply of coal.

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With this view, the department will expect the bidders to guaranty the results proposed to be a complished by their plans, and to specify these results under the following brade:

1st. The amount of horse purer which the engines and boilers will be able to develop for five days consentitively when driven up to their highast expacity, to be measured on board the vessed by the indicator, at the rate of 35,000 pounds lifted one foot high in a minute and to be not less than 1,000-horse power, and at least 80 revolutions per minute of the promeller.

at the rate of 30,000 pounds lifted one foot high in a minute and to be too tless than 1,000-horse power, and at least 80 revolutions per minute of the propeller.

The consumption of coals per horse power per hour must be stated. The pressure in pounds per square inch on the piston necessary to work the edgines at the above viscoity, the screw being disconnected and the engines without a load, except the line of shafting, must not exceed 25, pounds per square inch of piston by indicator diagram.

2d. The quantity of coal which can be stowed in the ship without exceeding the total weight for machinery, appendages, boilers and sexceeding the total weight for machinery, appendages, boilers and sexceeding the total weight for machinery, appendages, boilers and sexceeding the total weight for machinery, appendages, boilers and sexceeding the total weight for the boilers. The boilers to be of iron of the smithtsbular kind, with brace tubes and with telescopic anskering the state of the smithtsbular kind, with brace tubes and with telescopic anskering the state of the smithtsbular kind, with brace tubes and with telescopic ansker consideracy of the most approved kind will be required.

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The pumps, apparatus for ventilating, and appurtenances of all kinds necessary for the perfect working of the whole to be of the most approved kinds.

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leas than 500 gallous per day; and the tools and duplicate pieces necessary and satisfactory for an edicient cruicing steam sloop of war, must be included in the proposition, and a list of them must be furnished.

The wood and carpenter work (except the boring out the deadwood for the shaft) necessary to adapt the vessel for the reception of the machinery, solders, and appendages, will be provided at the expense of the Navy Department, and it will permit the use of such facilities as it may have for hosting the heavy machinery on board.

For the accommodation of the entire steam machinery and the fuel, these will be allowed in the body of the ship the entire space under the spar deck, commencing at 15 feet abaft the mainmast, and thence extending forward a distance of 50 feet; but if geared engines are used an additional length of three feet will be admitted.

Within this space it is expected to carry coal for five days' steaming at the maximum speed.

In the specifications, the daily consumption of fuel will be stated; also the weight of the machinery, coal, beliers, water in them, shaft, propeller, and appendages, with tools and spars work, all of which must not exceed 406 tons of 2,240 pounds; but if geared engines are used an additional weight of 20 tons will be allowed.

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